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MARICOPA COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT ENFORCEMENT PROCEEDINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 2003

(Phoenix)-- The Environmental Services Department initiated legal action against the following facilities/establishments or individuals in September 2003 for violations of the Environmental Health Code and the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations:

NAME	REASON
Los Armando's Mexican Food 1127 E. Main Street Mesa, AZ 85202	<u>Permit Revocation</u> - Permit was revoked due to serious and/or repetitive violations of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Code. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improper employee practices• Sewage problems
Carniceria Los Toros de Jalisco 961 W. Ray Rd., Suites 1&2 Chandler, AZ 85224	<u>Permit Revocation</u> - Permit was revoked due to serious and/or repetitive violations of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Code. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improper employee practices• Inadequate sanitizing of equipment and utensils
Taqueria La Mexicana 4262 W. Thomas Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85019	<u>Permit Revocation</u> - Permit was revoked due to serious and/or repetitive violations of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Code. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improper food temperatures• Improper employee practices
Streets of New York 7805 N. 35 th Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85051	<u>Permit Revocation</u> - Permit was revoked due to serious and/or repetitive violations of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Code. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improper food temperatures• Insect problems
Jerry Wayne Sullivan	<u>Citations</u> - Two citations were issued due to an excessive accumulation of garbage and rubbish within the defendant's property. Defendant failed to appear and warrant was issued.
Bonfilio Jacobo Martinez	<u>Citation</u> - A citation was issued for operating an ice cream truck without a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Defendant failed to appear and warrant was issued.

Jorge Cruz Trinidad	<u>Citations</u> – A citation was issued for selling meat without a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Arraignment was set for October 10, 2003.
Jose Luis	<u>Citation</u> – A citation was issued for operating a mobile food establishment without a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Arraignment was set for October 10, 2003.
Bennett Academy 2930 W. Bethany Home Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85017	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> - A Cease and Desist Order was issued for operating a service kitchen without a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department.
Brentwood Apts. 6805 N. 27 th Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85017	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> - A Cease and Desist Order was issued for failure to qualify to obtain a swimming pool permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department.
Laura's Mexican Food 6120 N. 59 th Avenue Glendale, AZ 85301	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> – A Cease and Desist Order was requested for failure to qualify for permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Violations were corrected, permit to operate was issued and Cease and Desist Order was vacated.
Sonora Bakery 347 E. Southern Avenue Suite 107 Mesa, AZ 85210	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> – A Cease and Desist Order was requested for failure to qualify to obtain a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Violations were corrected, permit was issued and Cease and Desist Order was halted.
Low Carb Mall 7014 E. Camelback Rd. Scottsdale, AZ 85251	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> - A Cease and Desist Order was requested for failure to submit plans to obtain a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department. Plans were submitted and cease and desist order was halted.
Erin Place 715 E. Vogel Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85020	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> - A Cease and Desist Order was requested for failure to qualify to obtain a permit from Maricopa County Environmental Services Department.
James & Danita Doyle 310 Heister Rd. Harrisburg, PA 17110	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> – A Cease and Desist Order was requested for operating a sewage disposal system without the approval of Maricopa County Environmental Services Department.
San Tan Elementary/ Jr. High School 1550 E. Chandler Heights Chandler, AZ 85249	<u>Cease and Desist Order</u> – A Cease and Desist order was requested for failure to provide hot/tempered water to hand lavatories.
Bulfer Water Company 3800 N. Central Avenue, Suite 770 Phoenix, AZ 85012	<u>Compliance Order</u> – A Compliance Order was requested for failure to protect the water system from coliform contamination.
Del Web Memorial Hospital – 14502 W. Meeker Blvd., Sun City West, AZ 85375	<u>Order of Abatement by Consent</u> - Failed to submit emission reports. Penalty paid \$660.00
Desert Metal Products – 113 N. 30 th St., Phoenix, AZ 85034	<u>Order of Abatement by Consent</u> – Failed to comply with permit conditions. Penalty paid \$1,880.00

The Environmental Services Department uses one of the following methods of legal action to enforce the Environmental Health Code and the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations:

- A Permit Revocation** may be initiated against a facility/establishment that has not demonstrated compliance or has been found in violation of any applicable code or rule. Permit revocation may also be initiated against trailer parks, hotels, semi-public swimming pools, and retail food establishments.

- A Permit Suspension** may occur immediately for serious environmental health code violations, which pose a major health hazard, or for air quality violations. The facility/establishment would not be permitted to operate.

- Citations** are issued for violations of the health code or air pollution control regulations. The citation directs the defendant to appear for arraignment in Justice Court.

- Cease and Desist Orders** are issued for serious violations of the environmental health code. The violation must be corrected immediately and a hearing may be requested. Disregarding the order will result in injunctive action in Maricopa County Superior Court.

- Order of Abatement** is issued to individuals or corporations for violations of the Maricopa County air pollution control regulations.